## CITY OF ERLANGER, KENTUCKY EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 2020-19 EXECUTIVE ORDER REGARDING OUTDOOR DINING

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020 President Donald J. Trump declared a national state of emergency in response to the coronavirus, COVID-19, pandemic; and

WHEREAS, on March 6, 2020 Governor Andy Beshear declared a state of emergency in Kentucky in response to the first documented case of the novel coronavirus, COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, on March 19, 2020, by Executive Order 2020-13, the City of Erlanger in response to the State and National Orders, also declared a state of Emergency; and

WHEREAS, Governor Andy Beshear has ordered that beginning May 22, 2020, restaurants may begin to re-open, with limited seating, due to proper distancing and safety; and

WHEREAS, Erlanger's restaurants' have already been financially burdened, and help is needed to allow for maximum seating; and

WHEREAS, KRS 39A.100, supports authority to protect Erlanger's citizens, which also includes its businesses, in a manner like Governor Andy Beshear, ordering the businesses closures; and

WHEREAS, Erlanger's current zoning may prohibit the outdoor dining, which is encouraged by Governor Beshear, as well as necessary for Erlanger's restaurants to begin recovery; and

NOW and therefore, I, Jessica Fette, Mayor of the City of Erlanger, by virtue of the authority vested in my by KRS Chapter 39A and 39B of the Kentucky Revised Statutes, do hereby declare that any Erlanger Zoning prohibitions, regarding outdoor dining, shall be suspended until such a time that Governor Andy Beshear allows Erlanger's Restaurant's to return to normal business operations. That I encourage the Northern Kentucky Health Department to aid restaurants in any manner to effectuate and encourage help in any permitting or other required actions, so that Erlanger's restaurants may begin their recovery. The sole exception shall be that any outdoor dining, which is not presently allowed under Erlanger's zoning ordinance, shall end by 10:00 pm each day to insure it does not disrupt our residents.

This Declaration of State of Emergency shall remain in effect until terminated by the issuance of another Executive Order when I determine that a state of emergency no longer exists and the exercise of extraordinary measures are no longer required for the protection of the public health, safety and welfare.

Signed on this the 12th of May 2020,

COUNTY OF KENTON COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

Subscribed and sworn to before me a notary public in and for the Commonwealth of Kentucky by Jessica Fette, Mayor, the above appointment and alternate appointment as his/her true act and deed this 12th day of May 2020.

My commission expires: 10/23/2022

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Notary Public, State-At-Large